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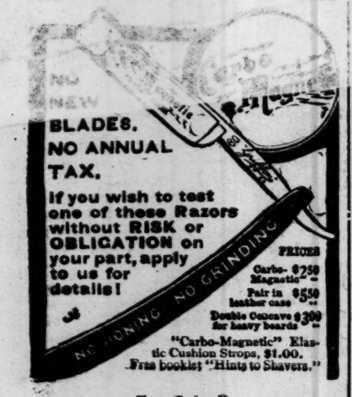
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TARTAR UPRISING.

The triangular truce between Armenians, Tartars, and the Rusisan troops before Shusha was of the briefest nature. Hostilities were resumed Sunday upon a larger and bloodier scale.

The fighting is not only in full progress at Shusha itself, a town of 30,000 people (180 miles to the southeast of Tiflis), the Tartar quarter of which apparently is in flames, but it has spread to the surrounding country. There the Tartar population has risen and is striving to overwhelm the Armenians and the Russian troops.

Gen. Zoloschakov, in command of the Russian forces, has appealed urgently for re-enforcements.

On Sunday large forces of Tartars attacked Askeran Pass, which was occupied by Armenians, but were unable to break the Armenian cordon. The Tartars are concentrating against Askeran Pass. Fighting is now going on in the villages of Haramurt, Haladad, and Karantukh.

On July 27 Kurds attacked the villages of Kalbalikened and Kiermizhan, and were endeavoring to force an entrance into Shusha. At the later place they were repulsed by Russian troops under Gen. Zoloschakov.

It is worthy of note that the Russians, who in the disorders of last year were accused of protecting the Tartars from Armenian attack, are now themselves hard pressed by the Mohammedan hordes.

The foreign manufacturers at Yekaterinoslav have made representations to their governments regarding the necessity of protecting foreign subjects, three foreign managers of mills having been attacked during the [illegible]

The central committee of the social democrats has been hastily summoned at St. Petersburg from the provinces It has been formally decided to support the action of the revolutionary groups last week in pushing the agitation for a general strike and uprising.

M. Burago, the leading official of the Sochatchev district, and a policeman, who was escorting him, were shot dead by revolutionists near Warsaw yesterday in revenge for the part they had taken in the repression of the agrarian strike movement.

The Odessa police yesterday arrested fifty employes of the custom-house, who were on strike.

An anarchist yesterday threw a bomb into a shop at Warsaw and wounded a clerk. The bomb-thrower was arrested.

A dispatch from Pskov, Russia, says that a band of 300 peasants burned the manor house and stock stables belonging to M. Nazymoff, president of the district zemstvo. Subsequently the peasants entered the neighboring village and sacked the spirit stores.

The Brodski grain elevators at Kiev have been destroyed by fire, involving a loss of $1,500,000.

Three large estates in the vicinity of Samara were destroyed Sunday night. The peasants are cutting the wood on both the Crown and private forests.

The mail stage running from Gomel has been attacked by robbers, who killed the postman and severely wounded the driver. They got away with the registered mail

While the church of Wilanow, a suburb of Warsaw, was filled with worshipers yesterday an unknown person outside began firing rapidly with a revolver. A panic followed, the church service was broken up, and the congregation, in a wild effort to escape, crowded on board a ferryboat, which sank, drowning five persons. The affair indicates the nervousness of the people. No day passes without a tragic occurrence. In the city park last Saturday evening a man fired into a crowd, killed one man and wounded four.

A company of the railroad battalion, at Krasnovodsk mutinied yesterday, and, accompanied by a mob of workmen, marched to the jail and endeavored to set at liberty the participants in the recent disorders at Lashkert. The battalion guarding the jail remained loyal and dispersed the mutineers.

A strike has broken out at Moscow among the bakers. According to the Council of Workmen the total number of men now on strike in Moscow reaches 18,000, in addition to which the Voskressensky factory yesterday locked out 2,000 employes.

The public prosecutor in St. Petersburg has started public proceedings against the lower house of Parliament who signed the Viborg manifesto. They will be brought to trial in violation of article 129 of the criminal code, which provides for "attempts to overthrow the existing government." This is virtually high treason, the maximum penalty for which is hard labor in the mines. Many of these former members are now living under cover in the houses of friends in St. Petersburg, or have gone into hiding in the provinces.

The appeal issued by the radical groups of the dissolved Douma and the representatives of the workingmen's organizations on July 27 to the army and navy is now being circulated through the underground channels to the sailors and soldiers.

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TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 31, 1906.

DAILY dispatches from St. Petersburg are to the effect that the authorities are in a position to curb the revolutionary spirit now prevailing in that empire and that they have the disorderly elements "in hand." Advices from many points in the Czar's realms, however, show an entirely different order of things. Pillage, incendiarism and murder are spreading and becoming more common daily. One sign of the times is the declining power of the church. The ecclesiastics seem to be losing their influence with the masses, which has caused conditions to be viewed more gravely by all who have heretofore entertained hopes of the authorities being able eventually to check the rising tide of unrest. Certain incidents show that the church is losing its influence with the fierce men who are propagating revolutionary ideas. An unknown person outside a church edifice in Warsaw last Sunday suddenly started the rapid firing of a revolver. The church service was broken up and the congregation, in a wild effort to escape, crowded aboard a ferryboat, which sank and drowned a number of persons. A private soldier caused a remakable sensation in the cathedral at Odessa yesterday by arising in the body of the church during service and contradicting certain statements of the archbishop uttered from the pulpit.

THE wanton destruction of timber in this country in the past is now being exemplified by the importation of 1,500,000 railroad ties from Japan. The price to be paid on this contract is 56 cents each, including the tariff tax of 1 cent a cubic foot, or 8 to 15 cents on each railroad tie. The price asked for American grown ties on the Pacific coast is said to be 75 cents each, so the tariff will have to be increased at least 19 cents more per tie to protect the lumbermen from the "pauper labor of Japan." Here is something for the protectionists to act upon instead of supinely standing pat and letting pauper foreigners" undersell the American product. Then, too, if the tariff duty on timber was increased it would hasten the denudation of our forests, which the protection system evidently desires, by placing obstacles on the importation of foreign lumber. It is hardly necessary to say that the more costly ties and rails can be made, the higher the freight rates are bound to be.

THE ground on which the Staunton Court and the State Corporation Commission declared the Virginia two-cent per mile law unconstitutional is not plain to the average layman, when it is known that such a law is in force in other States, nor is it understood by the newspapers published out of the State, as will be seen by the following from the Philadelphia Record, which voices the opinion of many Virginians:

Because the Corporation Commission of Virginia has declared the two-cent-a-mile rate law of that State unconstitutional it does not follow that legislation on similar lines in Pennsylvania would be nugatory. The decision of the Virginia Commission is to be taken up to the United States Supreme Court for review. A two-cent-a-mile rate has been in effect and unassailed in New York for a generation past. The federal constitution extends into New York as well as into Pennsylvania and Virginia, and if it does not restrain rate-making legislation in the former State neither does it in the latter.

AT Reno, Nev., yesterday, Miss Addie Corey, sister of Wm. Ellis Corey, president of the billion dollar steel trust, testified in supporting Mrs. Corey's suit for divorce that her brother was unfit to raise his own son. When asked why, her answer was: "For the reason that he is not a proper person for his son to associate with. He has no home, and his associates are not fit companions for a young man of Allan's age. I do not think that any New York man is fit to have charge of a boy of his age." "Do you mean all New York men?" Miss Corey was asked. "I mean wealthy New York men," was the sister's reply. Miss Corey knows whereof she speaks but what she said is a sad commentary upon the lives of the rich men of the country.

A NOTED German physician, Doctor Bergman, who presided at a meeting of the Berlin Medical Association, Thursday, agreed with others present that the clinical diagnosis of appendicitis seldom permitted an accurate judgment of the case, and serious doubt of the value of operations was expressed. Professor Orth said that in 10 per cent. of his cases the appendix did not confirm the diagnosis, and in another 10 per cent. there was no disease whatsoever, while he knew of many serious cases which had been cured without operating. When doctors disagree who is to decide?

AND NOW there is to be a milk trust, but is it to be hoped there will not be too much water in it.

The contempt of court case against Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, Ohio, growing out of the street railway war is being heard by Judge Ford, today.

From Washington.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Preliminary work in matters pertaining to the coming contest for the 60th Congress is now in progress at the headquarters of the democratic congressional committee here. Chairman Griggs spends some of his time in New York in an endeavor to secure financial assistance, as the finances continue at a low ebb. The returns of nominations made are being classified and the candidates and campaign managers in the various districts are being questioned relative to the prospects of carrying their respective districts and as to the issue that seems popular and important locally. Demands for literature are beginning to come in, and the bulk of it is for copies of speeches dealing with tariff revision. The speeches that will be sent out to satisfy that demand are by Representative Williams, of Mississippi, three in number; the two famous watch trust speeches by Representative Rainey, of Illinois; a speech by Congressman Towne, of New York, and one by Congressman Pou, of North Carolina. Hundreds of thousands of copies will be sent out under congressional franks, the recent law prohibiting the use of the congressional frank for certain purposes being held not to apply to this one. Speech-making tours have not yet been planned, but it is the intention of the committee to request William Jennings Bryan to make a number of speeches under the auspices of the committee in districts where his presence may be presumed to do the most good.

Without the least pretense at ceremony, the cornerstone of the stately Senate office building was laid on Capitol Hill today at 12 o'clock. Elliott Woods, superintendent of the Capitol and supervisor of the construction of the new office building, sauntered over to the site of the new structure and with some difficulty found the northeast corner. There was a creaking of derricks, Mr. Wood deftly spread a little mortar, and the huge block of granite, on which was cut the date, was swung into place. A dozen or so employees about the work told Mr. Wood how nicely he had performed the job that George Washington did at the laying of the Capitol corner stone and President Roosevelt executed at the House of Representative's office building, and then the superintendent returned to his office at the Capitol. The lack of ceremonies today was in strong contrast with the laying of the corner stone of the office building for the House of Representatives early in the spring.

Hundreds upon hundreds of colored people are pouring into Washington today to attend the week's session of the second quadrennial meeting of the Negro Young People's Christain and Educational Congress, which convened in Convention Hall for its first opening ceremonies at 1 o'clock this afternoon. "The Making of a Race in a Generation and Results Therefrom" is the theme for discussion at this congress. During the first thirty minutes a chorus of one thousand voices under the leadership of John T. Layton rendered a number of selections. Bishop Wesley J. Gaines, of Atlanta, Ga., and president of the congress, delivered the quadrennial address. The first address of welcome was delivered by Secretary of the Navy Charles J. Bonaparte. Others who followed him in welcoming the congress to the city were District Commissioner Henry L. West, Rev. M. W. D. Norman and John C. Dancy, recorder of deeds. A number of responses were made. Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte took as the subject of his address to the Congress the topic, "The Future of the Negro Race in America." He greeted the delegates as "my friends," and said: "You cannot afford to be lazy and ignorant and vicious, for all around you, pressing you on every side, is a race with which you have to compete, whether you wish or not, and which it will tax all your energies to struggle against."

Another old resident of Washington, William H. Selden, president of the Metropolitan Hotel Company, died at his apartments in the hotel about one o'clock this morning.

Contemplating a trip across the ocean some time ago V. Baldwin Johnson, the deceased coal dealer, made a will, which was filed for probate yesterday, in which he leaves an estate worth $50,000 to his wife, Margaritha Johnson.

Traffic representatives of the important western and southern railroads are in conference with each other here this morning and this afternoon will confer with the Interstate Commerce Commission relative to certain features of the railroad rate law which goes into effect August 28. It is the desire of the railroad men to secure an extension of time under which to file schedules and publish uniform tariffs, also to discuss with the commissioners other technial details which are of vast importance to them.

Railroad Rates.

The chief contention of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company in the freight-rate hearing before the Corporation Commission, in Richmond, fell to the ground yesterday, and almost swept away a large part of the evidence upon which they placed their surest reliance.

E. D. Hotchkiss, general freight agent, was again on the stand, going into the classification and rate of freight. Mr. Hotchkiss reiterated a statement previously made that many of the rates already charged by his road were lower than those prescribed by the schedule of the Corporation Commission.

After requesting him to cite several cases in point Mr. Braxton asked him to turn to one of the rules, himself indicating page and section, providing that in case any prevailing rate is lower than that of the schedule devised by the commission the lower rate should be the lawful charge and the schedule disregarded.

Mr. Hotchkiss admitted having overlooked this rule, making a concession to the commonwealth so great in its importance that Mr. Wickham, counsel for the road, was on his feet in a moment, appealing for a different construction of the rule. Commissioner Stuart, however, declared that it had been the intention of the commission to frame the rule as understood by Mr. Braxton, and if the language was not easily understood they would make it clear.

Constitutional Government for the Transvaal.

London, July 31.—The proposed law granting a constitutional government to Transvaal was introduced in the House of Commons today. The measure is regarded as the most important piece of constructive legislation placed before the parliament in a generation. The new law will make the Transvaal as free as is Canada.

News of the Day.

Fire did $200,000 damage to the Montgomery Lumber Yards at Buffalo, N. Y., at 2 o'clock this morning. Two firemen were slightly injured.

The French government has expressed regret at the killing of Lieutenant Clarence England, of the cruiser Chattanooga, by a shot from a French cruiser.

Detective John M. Stauff, who testified in the Hartje case that he looted Coachman Madine's trunk for letters, was threatened by a crowd as he left the courthouse in Pittsburg yesterday.

Col. Thomas R. Davis, of Keyser, member of Congress from the Second West Virginia district, stated positively at Deer Park Sunday night that he will not be a candidate for Congress again.

The steamer Navahoe which arrived at New York yesterday from Jacksonville brought a manatee, or sea cow, for the Aquarium. It is 18 feet long and has been fed on milk on board the steamer.

Four steamers with cargoes of bananas from the West Indies discharged their cargoes at Baltimore yesterday. Seventy-eight thousand one hundred and ninety-nine bunches were the total imports of the arrivals.

With the republican State convention at Des Moine, Iowa, but a few hours away the possibility are for peace with one ticket headed by Albert B. Cummins, for Governor and concessions to the stand-patters on the remainder of the ticket.

Allen Mathias, charged with criminal assault will arrive at Mayfield, Ky., from Louisville tonight at 6:40 and will be tried at 7 o'clock in the Circuit Court room. A scaffold has been built, and he will likely be hanged by law tonight or early tomorrow morning. An immense crowd is waiting for the trial tonight.

Turned away from the home of his sweetheart by her parents, Graham L. Gibbs yesterday suspended a package of dynamite from his neck with a string, lit the fuse and blew himself to bits. The tragedy occurred in broad daylight in front of the Wellington National Bank, on the main street corner of the town of Wellington, Kan.

Deed of a Jealous Husband.

Crazed with jealously at finding him alone in his home with his wife Barney Pearson shot and probably fatally wounded Walter R McCulla at Hastings, Nebr, Sunday night. McCulla formerly lived in Richmond, Va., but has resided in Hastings for years.

Pearson, suspecting McCulla and Mrs. Pearson, requested the Rev. Mr. Lemkaer, pastor of the First Evangelical Church, to go with him to his home telling the pastor that he already had sent for the police. Stationing the minister at one window, Pearson went to another, and, peeping through the curtain, saw McCulla and Mrs. Pearson alone in a room.

Going to an outhouse, Pearson procured a shotgun and fired through the window at McCulla, McCulla fell to the floor with a charge of buckshot in his right side and his abdomen, but staggered to his feet and walked two blocks, when he fell unconscious in the street. He is in a very critical condition from the wound, and the attending surgeons have little hope of his recovery.

On hearing the report of a gun and seeing McCulla fall, Mr. Lemkaer fled the premises where the tragedy occurred and failing to reach the police by telephone, went to bed without notifying any one of the shooting.

Pearsons entered his home, where he was arrested.

Visits Her Stabbed Husband.

A change has come over Mrs. Gertrude Day, wife of Edward Day, of Haddonfield, N. J., who last Saturday was fatally stabbed in Cincinnati by Elmer Pittman, his rival for the love of Mrs. Day.

For the first time since the duel Mrs. Day visited the hospital yesterday. Not a word of greeting was exchanged, but she took her husband's hand, and their eyes seemed to tell a story more eloquent than tongue could speak. For 20 minutes they sat silently regarding each other, and as she rose she whispered the one word: "Good-bye." Day smiled a wan smile, but his whispered reply could not be heard.

Mrs. Day declared that she did not know whom she loves better—her husband or Pittman. "Anyway, it's no body's business," she added. I don't have to choose between the two men. I can live alone, I suppose, if I want to. Sometimes I wish I were at the North Pole, without a man in sight. They have grown distasteful to me."

Murderous Deed of a Negro.

Joe Morris, a negro youth aged about twenty years, yesterday made an attempt to take the lives of the entire George E. Bloodworth family at their home near Macon, Ga. When the family was seated at the supper table Morris stole up to the house, and, placing the barrel of a shotgun in an opening, pulled the trigger. Over sixty shot struck Bloodworth in the face, and nearly as many struck his wife, who was seated at his side. Mrs. Bloodworth had her infant daughter in her arms at the time, but none of the shots struck the babe. After firing, Morris dropped his gun, turned and fled. When he regained consciousness, Bloodworth attended to his wife and then spread the alarm. Neighbors organized and are in pursuit.

Attacked by a Bull.

John E. Alexander, of Elkton, Md., narrowly escaped being killed by a bull early yesterday morning. He went to Meredith's meadow, about a half mile north of town, to milk his cow. Soon after he went into the field the bull made toward Mr. Alexander, who is past 70 years of age. He attempted to drive off the animal with a club, but without success. He was knocked down and trampled, but no bones were broken. But for the bull being dehorned Mr. Alexander would likely have been gored to death. About two weeks ago Mr. Alexander was attacked by the same bull, but he succeeded that time in beating off the animal before he was injured.

Italian Killed.

New York, July 31.—A quarrel over a barrel of fish was responsible this morning for a tragedy at the Fulton market in which Salvatore Giammanco was killed and Salvatore Caradone was mortally wounded. Giammanco was an Italian, as is also Caradone. The first-named after shooting Caradone was stabbed to death by another Italian named Tocceo, the brother-in-law of Carradone. Tocceo was arrested.

Virginia News.

The Seventy-first Virginia Regiment is in camp at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. John Cooper, died at her home at White Post, Clarke county, Sunday, after a lingering illness, aged 82 years.

Epps H. Conard, a member of the mercantile firm of Conard & Thompson, of Round Hill, died yesterday of typhoid fever, aged 42 years.

Sixteen hampers containing 200 Mongolian pheasants have arrived at Lynchburg from Castle Gould, New York, consigned to Mrs. Howard Gould's Blue Gap farm, in Bedford county, near Lynchburg, where they will be turned loose to propagate.

A special from Warrenton says: "It is understood here that the Rappahannock river is to be 'harnessed' by an enterprising set of men, with a view to furnishing electric power for the town lights. They contend that this plan would be far cheaper than the present system of illumination."

Col. George Wayne Anderson, commander of the Seventieth Regiment of Infantry, Virginia National Guards, and senior officer in the State militia since the death of Colonel Higgins, is daily expecting a communication from Governor Swanson notifying him of the acceptance of his resignation, which he tendered some time since. Colonel Anderson desires to devote his entire time to the practice of law.

Judge George L. Christian and Frank W. Christian, comprising the law firm of Christian & Christian, will appear as counsel for the State corporation commission before the Court of Appeals today when the mandamus for which Col. Joseph Button applied to make the commission accept his election by the legislature as insurance commissioner will be heard. Messrs. Hill Carter and Samuel Kelly, counsel for Colonel Button, filed their brief several days ago.

Advices from the western section of Frederick county show that the damage resulting from the severe storm and flood last Friday is much greater than at first estimated. The aggregate loss to farmers and fruit men will be in the neighborhood of $25,000. At Whitacre the storm assumed the proportions of a tornado, with a flood that swept away gardens and ruined corn, hay, and fruit crops. Hailstones as large as guinea eggs fell in many sections, and giant trees were blown down.

May Form a Sage Bank.

A conference of the executors, other than Mrs. Sage, the lawyers retained, and Mr. Sage's confidential business men was held at the office of DeLancey Nicoll in New York yesterday to arrange the details of carrying on the immense business of the $70,000,000 estate left by the thrifty financier. Those present included Charles W. Osborne and Dr. Munn, the executors; DeLancey Nicoll, Henry W. de Forrest and Charles A. Gardiner, lawyers, and Col. J. P. Slocum, Mrs. Sage's brother. That the lawyers have advised and the executors are convinced that the best way to continue Mr. Sage's business is to form a "Russel Sage bank" was the substance of one report as to the matters discussed at the conference. It was said, by one of the lawyers, however, that such an expedient as the forming of a corporation was not at all necessary, that the executors had ample authority to continue the Sage business of loaning money and of investing the surplus in interest bearing bonds.

It was learned yesterday on excellent authority that unless the executors—Mrs. Sage, Dr. Munn and Charles W. Osborne—allow each of the dissatisfied relatives a much larger sum a motion to have the probate set aside will be filed by at least one of the heirs soon after September 21, the date set for probating the will. Such a contest would give rise to prolonged litigation, which it is believed would completely tie up the estate until after the death of Mrs. Sage, who is now 77 years old.

The richest woman in the world has only a few years in which to distribute her vast fortune. It is known to be the great ambition of her life to donate a great part of these millions to charity, and it is believed also that this was the wish of Mr Sage. It is thought by the disgruntled nephews and nieces that a threat to tie up the estate and delay this distribution may frighten Mrs. Sage into loosening up the purse strings to the extent of a further allotment of something like $100,000 each to the minor heirs. On the other hand, it is known that Dr. Munn and Mr. Osborne were selected by Russell Sage as executors because they possessed the qualities of stubborn determination. Both are fighters, as little given to compromise as was Mr. Sage himself. In connection with the reports of possible contests of the will of Russell Sage a story was circulated yesterday to the effect that Mr. Sage gave $10,000,000 to his wife shortly before his death.

Mrs. Corey Awarded Divorce.

Mrs. William Ellis Corey, wife of the president of the United States Steel Corporation, was awarded a divorce in the Second District Court of Nevada, acting at Reno, yesterday afternoon. The case was submitted without argument and the jury took but one ballot. The jury was out but a few minutes.

Mrs. Corey was in tears when told that she had been given a decree and the custody of her 16-year-old son, Allen Corey. She drove at once to her home, on Riverside avenue, where she says she will continue to reside. No evidence was submitted by the defense and there was no argument.

The question of alimony was not introduced. Mrs. Corey made an interesting admission, however, touching upon this phase of the case, stating that in May, 1906, several weeks before her petition for divorce was filed, she negotiatiated through her attorneys a financial settlement with her husband. She was not asked what the nature of this settlement was.

County Assessor Waylaid.

J. W. Coulter, of Leslie S. D., Assessor of Stanley County, relates the following: "I was waylaid by a complication of throat and lung troubles, bronchitis, asthma and a terrible cough, which had affected me for years, when I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. Relief came almost immediately, and in a short time a permanent cure resulted." No other medicine compares with it as a sure and quick cure for coughs and colds. It cures after all other remedies have failed. Every bottle guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

The Market.

Georgetown, July 31.—Wheat 60a76.

Today's Telegraphic News

Another Mutiny.

Helsingfors, Finland, July 31.—The most serious mutiny within the Russian empire since the agitation following the dissolution of the Douma began occurred today at Sveaborg fortress, the strong fortress which guards Helsingfors harbor. Both the soldiers in the garrison and the sailors of the fleet now in port are affected and the uprising gives promise of being a serious one. The garrison of the fortress mutinied. Other troops were called out to quell the mutineers, and a fight ensued between the two factions. The mutineers, however, succeeded in seizing the fortress. The sailors sided with the mutineers and the sailors will not fire on the soldiers who now control the fort.

Social democratic privates of the Finnish Red Guard have proclaimed a general strike and labor agitatiors have gone into the provinces to stir up the people to order a strike.

St. Petersburg, July 31.—The refusal of sailors on board the ships to fire on the fortress at Helsingfors makes the situation there more serious.

The mutiny began among the sappers and miners at the weapon depot about 11 o'clock last night. Early this morning there was a recurrence of the trouble and the mutineers made prisoners of their officers, and elected their leaders to take the places of the deposed officers. The mutineers now hold half the fortress and the naval arsenal. The Russian torpedo boat destroyer Finn is bombarding the barracks of the mutineers. One officer has been killed and one wounded by the mutineers. Boats have been sent from the city to bring away those wounded during the fighting. Fighting of the fiercest nature continues between the mutineers, assisted by artillery and the local infantry. Up to noon the casualties numbered over 600.

The declaring of a general strike in Finland is also significant. The Czar has made every effort to keep Finland loyal by the granting of special rights, including practical autonomy. Yet today's developments show that the Finnish people are as revolutionary in their feelings as ever.

Helsingfors, July 31.—Sailors here have revolted and killed two officers. The rebellious sailors marched to the labor association's headquarters, and were joined by numbers of cossacks, while en route there.

Funeral of the Victims.

Washington, Pa., July 31. — The funeral of the three murdered members of Samuel Pearce's family will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Services and interment will be held at the Miller's Run Presbyterian Church, two miles north of the scene of the tragedy. The mother and the two children will be laid in one grave. At their home today, the mother and infant babe Dwight repose in one casket, while in a small white one at their side is the remains of Margaret, the 5-year-old child whose brutal treatment by the negro, Elmer Dempsey, was the prime cause of the triple murder. Robert Edward Pearce, three years old, the sole survivor of the negro's murderous acts, is expected to recover, although a bullet was sent through his little body. Elmer Depmster, the confessed murderer, is not at all averse to talking about the crime and has repeated his confession to several persons. His parents make no excuses for their son. They are heart broken. The colored population of the vicinity are as much enraged at the young Dempster as are the white citizens.

Prosperity Bulletin.

New York, July 31.—Wall street was amused today by a "prosperity bulletin" posted on the bulletin board in the brokerage house of Henry Clews. The bulletin is a supplement to Speaker "Joe" Cannon's recent remark that "this country is a hell of a success." It reads as follows:

"Corn crop this year, 2,700,000,000 bushels; wheat crop, 737,000,000 bushels; cotton crop, 11,000,000 bales; United States Steel Corporation's net profit for the last quarter, $40,000,000. A man died yesterday in Ansonia, Ills., who weighed 460 lbs and was 73 inches around the waist. This is not surprising, because he was born in the corn belt country. A dark lady in Texas recently gave birth to six little blackies. What a country! What a people!"

Tunnel Men Strike.

New York, July 31.—Five hundred tunnel men employed on the Pennsylvania tunnel went on strike today and the plans of the union leaders contemplate the ordering out of 5,000 men, causing a general tie up of all work in the tunnels under the East and North rivers. The strike has been ordered by the newest of labor organizations—the United Tunnel Workers' Federation. It was precipitated by the demands of the electrical workers for 45 cents an hour. When the demands were refused fifty electrical workers walked out of the Pennsylvania tunnel and the rock men, drillers, compressors, laborers and engineers went out in sympathy. The 1,000 men who will leave the Belmont tunnel job at noon today are striking for the same reason.

Postoffice Robbed.

Greenfield, O., July 31.—The postoffice at this place was entered last night by burglars who secured about $4,000 in stamps and $1,500 in cash. The locks were blown from the heavy vault doors and the big iron safe was reduced to scrap iron. The mail sacks were cut open and the mail rifled and scattered about the floor. A horse and buggy belonging to Albert Ross was taken by the burglars and driven to Washington, where the horse was found. The robbers took advantage of the large crowd that is in the city at present in attendance on the tri-county Chautauqua which is being held in this city.

Assaulted by a Negro.

Atlanta, Ga., July 31.—Annie Poole, the 15 years old daughter of John Poole, who lives aboat half a mile from Lakewood, was criminally assaulted by an unknown negro about ten o'clock this morning. The girl was on her way to a neigbbor's when she was attacked by the negro brute. She had to cross a lonely field and it was here that the negro met her and is said to have accomplished the terrible crime. Officers have been sent to the scene of the crime and a large posse is pursuing the negro.

It is always well to have a box of salve in the house. Sunburn, cuts, bruises, piles and boils yield to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

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$4.75 Waist Boxes $3.98.

During this clean-up sale we offer you Matting-covered Shirt-waist Boxes, rattan trimmed; pyrographed inside; well made; a summer necessity, at a price within the reach of all..... $3.98

20 per cent. Discount on all Screens and doors.

Matting Sale.

We offer you any piece of Matting in the house that retails at 33c a yard; 40 yards to the roll; at the clean-up price of, roll $9.90

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Tolstoi's New Book.

St. Petersburg, July 31.—A new book by Count Leo Tolstoi is soon to make its appearance, in the preparation of which, strange as it may seem, the Czar appears as collaborator with the distinguished author. The title of the new book is "God and Man." The literary end of the book is entirely the work of Count Tolstoi. The Czar' contribution consisted of lending to Tolstoi numerous secret documents in the imperial archives enabling the author to study historic Russian secrets. The book treats of contemporary affairs and portrays Russian socialists, revolutionists, and sectarians. When the book appears in the the near future, the Czar will find that he has given assistance to a work containing hundreds of passages of which he disapproves.

Mrs. Thaw Visits Her Husband.

New York, July 31—Mrs. Harry Thaw called on her husband in the Tombs prison, this morning, and remained with him for some time. Before going to her husband's cell, she sent for the newspaper men and told them that there was no truth in the report that she and Mrs. William Thaw had had a quarrel in the Tombs yesterday while visiting Harry Thaw. "It's a pure fabrication," said Mrs. Thaw, this morning, "and I wish you would please make a strong denial of the story." Mrs. Thaw had nothing further to say. There were no new developments in the case this morning.

Launch of a Steamer.

Philadelphia, July 31.—The Southern Pacific Company's new steamer, the Momus, was launched from the yards of the Cramps Shipbuilding Company's plant, today. The Momus, which is the first of three new vessels for the New York and New Orleans service of the Southern Pacific Company, is 440 feet in length, 53 feet in width, and 37 feet depth of hold. She has accomodations for 152 first class, 58 second class, and 250 steerage passengers. She will be placed in commission about November 1, next.

Entertained by Corey.

New York, July 31.—William Ellis Corey, president of the steel trust, gave a dinner to a party of friends at Delmonico's last night. This function, coming so soon after his wife was granted a decree of divorce in Nevada, on the ground of desertion, caused some gossip even among the high rollers who frequent the famous restaurant. It was conjectured that Mr. Corey must know of the outcome of the divorce proceedings. Mr. Corey entertained his friends until an early hour this morning.

The President's Visitors.

Oyster, Bay, N. Y., July 31.—Senator Dick, of Ohio, and Elmer Dove, secretary of the republican national committee, are in conference today with President Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill. Buckeye State politics is the subject under discusion, and it is understood that upon request of the Senator the President will send one or more members of his Cabinet, to the State to "spellbind" for the republican congressional and State candidates.

Request from the Jews.

Vienna, July 31.—An influential committee representing the Jewish alliance and the Jewish community generally has issued an address to the government requesting that Austria, in common with the other powers, shall compel Russia to put an end to the Jew-baiting outrages which have occurred in that distressed country.

Bees Refuse to Sting Baby.

Allentown, Pa., July 31.—George F Sporheimer, of Moundsville, who keeps an apairy, missed his 2-year-old son Warren yesterday, and, after searching for him for some time, they finally found him sitting in front of a hive, covered with bees, so that not an inch of the skin was visible. Strange to say, not a single bee stung the helpless little fellow.

Price of Wheat.

New York, July 31.—Wheat sold at the lowest point of the season yesterday, September reaching 81½ near the close, or half a cent under the previous low figure. Enormous receipts, weakness abroad, good harvesting weather in the northwest and a big visible supply increase were the controlling factors.

Mr. Rockefeller at Home.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 31.—John D. Rockefeller and party arrived over the Lake Shore at 7:06 a. m. The oil magnate was immediately driven to his summer home at Forest Hill.

New York Stock Market.

New York, July 31.—The stock market after showing decided strength, at the opening and in the early trading when advances of about one point were made in a number of the leading stocks, weakened under aggressive selling by a number of traders. It was generally commented by leading men in the market that the short interest already large, was materially increased by the selling this morning and specialists in various stocks held that light long stock was either on a business or reactions.

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During the heated term the store will close at 5 o'clock; Saturdays at 1.

Sale of Muslin Underwear

A Quarter and a Third Off.

A collection of Women's Undergarments, consisting of the ends of various lines and principally one or two pieces of a style, offered on center counters at very specially low prices. There are gowns, petticoats, chemises, corset covers, and drawers of summer-weight cambrics, nainsooks, and muslins, and they are high-grade.

19c to $3.25 per Garment.

Regularly a Quarter to a Third More.

In connection with the above we offer

Women's Nainsook Night Gowns,

Light-weight, made with low neck and short sleeves, and tastefully trimmed with dainty embroidery or lace. These are very attractive garments, and ideal for present wear.

$1.00 each. Regular price, $1.50.

Also a lot of

Women's Nainsook Chemises,

Light and cool, neck and armholes trimmed with lace; others trimmed with pretty embroidery. All sizes.

50c each. Regular price, 75c.

Third floor—Eleventh st.

Women's Two-eyelet Kid Court Ties.

A new line of Women's Two-eyelet Court Ties, in patent kid and dull kid.

They are made on a stylish last, with welt sole and Cuban heel.

$3.50 per pair.

Also complete lines of White and Tan Oxfords for women and children.

Third floor—Tenth st.

Summer Bed Covering.

White Outing Flannel Blankets, Dimity Spreads, and Silkoline Comfortables, any of which meet the demand for some light-weight bed covering for cool nights.

White Outing Flannels, double-bed size.

$1.00 the pair.

White Dimity Bed Spreads, ideal for summer use; launder as easily as cotton sheets; full double-bed size.

$1.50 each.

Silkoline Comfortables, filled with pure white cotton; full size.

$1.00 each.

Second floor—Eleventh st.

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WASHINGTON

Application for Mandamus.

Richmond, Va., July 31.—At a special session of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, Judges Keith, Caldwell, Harrison and Whittle heard the case of Joseph Button versus the Corporation Commission of Virginia, upon an application for mandamus to oblige the commission to accept Colonel Button as the commissioner of insurance appointed under an act of the late General Assembly. Hon. S. L. Kelley, and Hon. William Carter appeared for Col. Button. Mr Kelley started his argument at 10:10 o'clock and talked until 10:45. He said in part: "In the national government we have innumerable bureaus whose heads are not appointed by the secretaries of those bureaus, but by executive power outside. This appointment of the heads of subordinate bureaus is as independent of the higher bureaus themselves, by the law and the constitution, as the bureau of commerce is of that of pensions in the Department of the Interior."

The Hartje Divorce Case.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 31.—The Hartje divorce case opened today with a victory for Mrs. Hartje, the respondent. The court refused to allow an explanation of Andrew Fisher's statements yesterday during the cross examination which confused him.

Pittsburg, July 31.—August Hartje closed his case against Mrs. Hartje this afternoon, having submitted all his evidence in rebuttal. Court adjourned the case until tomorrow morning.

Intends to Fight Will.

Troy, N. Y., July 31.—James H. Sage, one of the nephews of Russell Sage, who was left $25,000 by the dead financier, returned to his home from New York, and made what he said is the first definite announcement of his intentions regarding the Sage will. He said: "I understand that a great many of the heirs have announced that they are satisfied with the $25,000 and do not intend to make a contest, but you may quote me as saying that a number intend to fight to the end."

Negro for Lieutenant Governor.

Birmingham, Ala., July 31.—For the first time since the reconstruction days, a negro has announced himself as candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Alabama. Ad Wimbe, a well known Greensboro colored politician has addressed a letter to Chairman Josiah Thompson, of the republican party in Alabama, stating that he is in the race. The republican party recently decided to put out a full State ticket for the first time in years at this fall election.

John Laurence Toole, the comedian, died in London yesterday. He was born in London, March 12, 1830.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss
LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrah that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
(SEAL) NOTARY PUBLIC.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggies, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Alexandria Gazette

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 31, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:08 a. m. and sets at 7:12 p. m. High water at 4:04 a. m. and 4:34 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair, cooler tonight. Wednesday fair; light northerly winds.

A Fairfaxian in Trouble.

George W. Reiston, forty years old, of Fairfax county, charged with obtaining $200 on March 25 by means of false pretenses from Carter and Woodward, coal and wood dealers, in Washington, was arrested yesterday afternoon in front of police headquarters by Detectives Burlingame and Weedon. Reiston was released on $500 bail for his appearance this morning at Police Court, when he will be given a preliminary hearing. It is alleged by James O Carter, a member of the firm, that Reiston entered their office March 25 and represented himself as being a wood dealer from Fairfax county. Mr. Carter says that Reiston claimed to have 200 cords of wood, which he would sell at a reasonable figure. When the Washington firm announced their willingness to accept the wood at the figure named, Reiston is said to have asked for $200 as partial payment. The money, according to Mr. Carter, was paid over to him Carter also alleges that although repeated efforts have been made to get the wood or have him return the money, they have been unsuccessful, and a warrant was issued for his arrest.

Chief Pettey's Report.

The report of Geo. W. Pettey, chief engineer of the fire department, for the fiscal year commencing August 1, 1905, and terminating July 31, 1906, inclusive, is, as submitted, as follows: Number of fires, actual service, entire department, 14; number of fires where part of the department was in service, 25; number of fires where no service of the department was rendered, 31; total number of alarms, 70. The report, as submitted, also shows the department to have used 20,520 feet of hose during the year, and to have been in service 17 hours and 55 minutes. The amount of hose on hand is 3,750 feet serviceable and 400 feet defective or unserviceable. The equipment of the department comes up to the requirements, and the chief in his report commends the courage and efficiency of his firemen and their willingness to respond to alarms, and states that "with the present equipment of the department and his unequalled force of 'fire-fighters' he has no fear of any fires getting beyond his control."

One More Summer Month.

We are now approaching the dog days and with but one more month of summer before us At twelve o'clock tonight July, 1906, will become a back number. So far there has been but little to distinguish the prevailing summer from others that have preceded it. There has been an abundance of rain and generally good growing conditions. While destructive storms, the usual accompaniments of the heated term, have prevailed in certain localities, meteorological disturbances in this city have been neither severe nor appalling. About the usual number of persons have left Alexandria for rural retreats. The mass of the community, however, as is generally the case, have remained at home to endure the heat and burdens incident to city life during the summer months.

Public School Finances

The clerk of the City School Board today completed his annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the board for the year ending July 31. The report shows: Receipts from the State, $7,339.08; from city, $14,400; for sale of fire arms confiscated by police, $12; balance on hand from last year, $115.33; total, $21,866.41. This was the largest appropriation by the city ever made. Expenditures: pay of teachers, $18,003 25; for furniture and repairs, $608 33; for blackboards, $1.15; fuel, $737 05; pay of clerk, $300; pay of treasurer, $150; insurance, $100; janitors, $1,310; taking census, $117 36; interest, $250; water rent, $60; crayons, $8 20; printing and advertising, $55 75; removing night soil, $29; sundries, $67.93. Total, $21,798.02; leaving a balance on hand of $68.39.

Nothing on the Docket.

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning. The officers on duty last night report but one incident to mar the tranquility which prevailed. About half-past one o'clock this morning four pistol shots were heard on Prince street, between Lee and Union. Lieutenant Smith and Officers Young and Ferguson proceeded to the neighborhood where they found Officer Knight whose attention had also been attracted by the shots. It was learned that Mr. Elmer Nightingill had been awakened by a burglar in his house. He had fired two shots at the intruder while he was on the premises and two more after he had escaped on the street.

Eagles' Excursion.

The excursion given by the Eagles of this city to Marshall Hall yesterday was well-patronized and was an enjoyable affair throughout. Many persons went down on the evening boat and enjoyed a ride on the river by moonlight. The excursionists returned home at a reasonable hour delighted with their experience. The charm donated by Castleberg & Co., of Washington, for the most popular Eagle was won by Worthy President Samuel Bendheim.

Corner Stone Laying.

The corner stone for the new Masonic Temple at Manassas was laid there today with imposing ceremonies, the lodge at that town taking part assisted by other Masons in the neighborhood. Grand Master Kemper, of this city, presided, and the orator of the day was Judge Duke, of Charlottesville. A number of Masons from this city and vicinity attended the ceremonies.

Decree of Divorce.

In the Corporation Court today in the case of Irene Apgar vs. Frank Apgar a final decree was entered granting a divorce to the plaintiff on the ground of desertion.

Messrs. Bendheim & Hill have removed their wholesale dry goods and notion business to the large store just south of the Braddock House which has recently been repaired. This is the largest store in the city.

ALEXANDRIA DAY.

Luna Park Densely Packed—The Production of the Custer Massacre a Decided Success—The Friendship Engine in Action—A Day and Night of Pleasure.

Luna Park was taxed last night to its utmost capacity in entertaining the thousands of visitors from Alexandria, Washington and the surrounding country; but an extraordinarily large crowd had been anticipated and the park officials were prepared for the visitors, while the electric railway company had perfected arrangements for the transportation demands made upon the road Trains were running in sections during the evening and until late at night, transporting visitors to and from the park

As had been anticipated, Alexandria Day was a decided success. A per centage of the proceeds are to be devoted to the Alexandria Hospital, and the affair appealed, as it should, to all people of this city who justly appreciate the institution.

Visitors began to throng the park during the morning, most of whom were little folks with their parents. Hundreds of others arrived on the afternoon trains.

There were several athletic events during the morning and a baseball game between the Invincibles and the Old Dominions in the afternoon, which was won by the former by a score of 6 to 5

The children during the evening participated in all the park amusements without charge. The little ones rode on the flying horses until the storm at 1 o'clock was over. From the carousal the committee escorted them, 800 strong, to the roller coaster, and from there to all of the amusements along the "Trail." It took an hour for all of them to shoot the chute.

At 8 o'clock the reproduction of the Custer massacre, participated in by the Red Men of Alexandria, in full regalia, and the Alexandria Light Infantry in heavy marching order, took place. The Osceola Tribe of Red Men was under the command of Chief Andrew Deeton. They were divided into four squads, the first in charge of B F. Bettis; the 2d F. L. Entwisle; the 3d C. M. Schwab, and the 4th A. J. Butcher. Capt. P. J. Murphy led the forces of the Light Infantry. The battle took place near the south gate.

The exhibition of old time fire-fighting took place at 8:30. The old hand engine of the Friendship company was in excellent order. The exhibition was given under the direction of James Jayins and twenty-two men manned the apparatus. A house which had been erected for the purpose was fired, and the old engine did noble work in extinguishing the flames. The exhibition was realistic and brought forth continued applause.

Manager Gill's production of shadow dances occurred during the evening in the big dancing pavillion The spectacle was picturesque and novel. It is estimated that at one time there were no less than ninety couples on the dancing floor.

The thrilling performance of Albas, the noted European high-wire artist, was greatly enjoyed. His act consisted of feats on the tight wire, ending with his so-called "slide for life" down a ninety-foot tight wire incline. The performance was given at 4 and 9:15 p. m.

Throughout the evening the crowds engaged in throwing confetti.

Judge C. E. Nicol, of the Circuit Court; Mayor Paff, of Alexandria, and many other prominent persons were present.

The visitors returned to their homes greatly pleased with their experiences.

It is understood that the Alexandria Hospital will be the beneficiary to the amount of upwards of $500 as its share of the receipts of the day.

Luna Park Attractions.

The Navassars Ladies' Band, the only musical organization outside of Washington which ever had the honor of appearing on the White Lot adjoining the Executive Mansion, and which enjoyed a most successful engagement at Washington Luna Park earlier in the present season, has been secured for a return to that popular resort. They will arrive in Washington Sunday afternoon, August 5th, and will be heard in the big musical shell each afternoon and evening during their limited engagement of one week. The Navassars are, perhaps, the most noted lady musicians now before the public. The band numbers fifty artists and contains in its personnel some of the most famous players that have appeared in this country. Albas, the sensational high wire performer, will remain another week at Luna Park. Albas is said to be a "death defying" performer, and his thrilling feats on the wire justify the title. Although all of his performances in mid-air are extremely dangerous, his last act, that of sliding down a 90-foot wire, balanced only on his head, is by far the most exciting. His act takes place at 2:15 and 9:15 p. m. daily. A number of important changes have taken place at Luna Park during the past few days. Manager George E. Gill has provided free dancing every afternoon. Another feature of the Park is the provision of free admission to all school children, whether residents of Washington, Alexandria or elsewhere, every Saturday afternoon. The children are also given free rides on the Merry go-rounds, Old Mill, and free admission to the Tours of the World. Several new attractions have been installed along the famous "Trail," including a new illusion in the Temple of Mystery, called "Spookdom."

Eliza Douglas, an old and respected colored resident, died at the Alexandria Hospital last night.

May Live 100 Years.

The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure Stomach and Liver diseases, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Price only 50c.

Large New Potatoes, 40c Peck.

3 lb. Fancy Florida Tomatoes, 25c; Large Pine Apples, 10 and 12c each; 1 lb. 50c green mixed Tea, 39c; 5 lb. Bucket Pure Leaf Lard, 60c; 30 doz. Carpet Brooms, (regular price 40c) while they last, 25c each; White Clover Honey, 15c lb.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON.
feb2 Royal and Wolfe streets.

NOTICE.

Coal is comfort. We are delivering the best grades of newly mined coal, clean and the very best grade at the bottom summer price, to be delivered before July 1st. Leave your orders at

DeWILTON AITCHESON, 107 south Royal street. Both Phones 95.

Personal.

Mrs. H. E. DeWitt and her sister, Miss Cornelia Dickey, of Lynchburg, are the guests of the Misses Garner, on south Fairfax street.

At the request of the District of Columbia Attorney the department of Justice has assigned Mr. Frank Sprigg Perry as a special assistant. Mr. Perry is a son of Rev Josiah B. Perry, formerly of Washington, and a grandson of Dr. F. Sprigg, formerly of this city.

The family of Mr. John M. Johnson have gone to the Sweet Chalybeate Springs to spend the remainder of the summer.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh McGuire left today for Boston. They will be away for the next four weeks.

Miss Virginia Downey left today for Richmond, where she will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Maggie Stone.

Mrs. Oscar H. Frommelt will leave this evening for Norfolk and Virginia Beach to spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. M. J. Waterman and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Rosenfield, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting Mrs. E. Goldsmith

Mr. Mark R. Norris continues quite sick at his home with sciatic rheumatism.

Mr. Elmer Norris, now of Richmond is on a visit to his father, Mr. M. R. Norris.

Mr. Donald Aitcheson who has been on the Isthmus of Panama for some months past has returned to his home in this city. He says the Alexandrians there are all well. When asked if he intended returning he said he had two months to consider that question.

Proposed Meeting.

The republicans of this city have been making arrangements for holding a meeting in Schuler's Hall to night for the purpose of selecting delegates to the congressional convention which meets on the 14th instant. There seems to be but little interest taken in the proposed meeting on the part of prominent republicans of Alexandria, those spoken to on the subject professing to know nothing about it.

There is a rumor in circulation that a republican meeting was held on the quite today at which such action was taken as will render unnecessary a meeting tonight. It is also said that those who may attend the meeting called for tonight will be asked for a contribution to help pay hall rent, &c.

Knights of Columbus Excursion.

It has been truly stated that the trip down the beautiful Potomac on board the palace steamer Jamestown, a distance of forty miles, is the "queen of all trips." In order to thoroughly enjoy this you should patronize the first excursion from this city next Thursday night to be given under the auspices of Fitzgerald Council, No. 459, Knights of Columbus. As previously stated, if it rains on the evening of the excursion the tickets will be honored on the following evening.

Removal of Freight Station.

On Monday next, August 6, the freight depot of the Washington-Southern Railway will be removed from Cameron and Fayette streets to the new freight depot adjoining the union depot west of this city, at which place all local freight will be received and that for Alexandria delivered.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Two of the summer months have gone.

See Kaufmann Bro's advertisement of marked down sale of Manhattan shirts.

The alley back of Prince street between Alfred and Patrick is said to be in need of attention.

The wind changed from the south to the northwest last night which brought more pleasant conditions.

During the month the Clerk of the Corporation Court recorded 46 deeds, and issued 35 marriage licenses, 22 to whites and 13 to colored persons.

Russell, the little nine-year-old son of Mr. L. H. Thompson, while playing on a pile of lumber near the west end of the tunnel this evening fell into the tunnel and was quite painfully bruised.

Two parties of engineers are and have been for some time past engaged in surveying the country west, north and south of this city. They are reticent concerning the object of their survey and it is not known whether they are surveying lines for a proposed steam or electric road.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Clam Soup 5c, Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb 26tf

Clown Ends His Life.

Mrs. James G. Wesson, of New York, the wife of the old-time circus clown, who was reported to have committed suicide in Schenectady, received a telegram yesterday notifying her that her husband had shot himself. She could assign no reason for the act except that he was despondent. Wesson was 47 years of age, and at times feared that he was growing too old for the business. He became affected by softening of the brain last spring, but refused to quit work. Mrs. Wesson denied the report that they had separated.

Czar's Palace in Flames?

Paris, July 31.—The Matin prints a dispatch from Odessa, which says it is reported from Livadia in the Crimea that the Czar's palace there is in flames. The fire is said to be the work of revolutionaries.

Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is the original laxative cough syrup and combines the qualities necessary to relieve the cough and purge the system of cold. Contains no opiates. Sold by W. F. Creighton Co, 401 King street.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Children of the Crittenton Home are to enjoy an evening with social features. Alexandria talent will help to pass a pleasant hour. Everybody invited. Songs, instrumental music and refreshments. Thursday, 7:45 p. m.

THE WHISKY OF OUR FOREFATHERS,

Continental Pure Rye, 75c full quart, 38c a pint; Overholt, bottled in bond, and Paul Jones Pure Rye, 90c full quart; Port, Sherry, Catawba and Claret, 25c a quart. All the leading brands of fine wines and liquors for family trade. 'Phone 85 or drop postal.

HARLOW BROTHERS,
my3 tf Cameron and Royal Streets.

Special Notice.

Best Flour $5.00 bbl., guaranteed absolutely; large sack, 30c; small 15c; best Coffee, 15c per lb; 3 lb bucket best Lard, 30c; 3 jars best Preserves, 25c; best Mustard 4c jar, Catsup 4c bottle; Sweet Pickles, 8c bottle; 6 cans of Pedrick Cream 25c; 3 cans Challenge Milk, 25c; 3 cans Kairomel Syrup, 25c; 3 cans New Orleans Molasses, 25c; best Table Peaches, 2 cans 25c; any brand of soap 4c a cake.

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my18 tf Cameron and Royal Streets

Luna Park

(GEORGE E. GILL, MANAGER.)

Alba's Sensational Slide For Life Down a 90-foot Wire Incline.

Rivela's Imperial Band in the Musical Shell.

Free Dancing Every Afternoon.

School children admitted free to the Park every Saturday afternoon.

DANCING BY MOONLIGHT ON THE PALACE STEAMER "JAMESTOWN."

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1906.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Save coupon attached to your ticket, as lucky one secures two round trip tickets to Norfolk and Virginia Beach. Tickets—Adults, 50c. Childrens, 25c.

Boat leaves Washington at 7 p. m, and Alexandria at 7:30 p. m.

GROCERIES.

Some Grocers Are Satisfied

to take what fruit and vegetables they can get from the commission merchants. But not so at Yates & Co's. Wagon after wagon stops at our store and we always get first picking, and on market days we are the first ones there to get the finest and most luscious fruits.

Fine Fruits and Vegetables

Just now we are showing some of the finest Peaches, Plums, Sugar Corn, Cabbage, String Beans, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Cymlings and Potatoes, and at prices same as market; often lower.

Watermelons.

Let us send you an enormous, big, red, juicy Watermelon right off the ice. Will send it any hour. Telephone orders carefully selected.

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CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

Elliott's,

Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

Big Reductions in Summer Goods.

Table Tumblers	2c each
Jelly Glasses	2c each
Iced Tea or Soda Glasses	5c each

Granite Iron Ham Boilers, worth $1 25, cut to 89c.

THE MILLER CO

(INCORPORATED.)

Importers of and Jobbers in

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENS WARE.

In order to make room for our fall importations we will sell during the month of August to our Alexandria friends TEA, DINNER AND TOILET SETS at very low prices

A large consignment of FRUIT and JELLY GLASSES just received.

THE MILLER CO.,

119 KING STREET.

jy31 1m

FOR SALE.—WAREHOUSE No. 119 King street, now occupied by the Miller Co. Warehouse and lot southeast corner of Prince & Union streets.

JULIAN T. BURKE, admr., estate of JOHN G. BECKHAM, deceased.

jy27 t aug1

FOR RENT.—DWELLING No. 808 Prince street, adjoining Confederate Veteran Hall. Possesion given August 1st.

jy27 t aug1 BURKE & HERBERT.

MONEY TO LOAN.

$4,000 in sums of $2,000.

jy17 tf NORTON & BOOTHE.

FOR SALE.—A HOUSEBOAT, 24 feet 4 inches long with upper work 18x10 feet Apply at No. 118 Prince street. jy28 3t

CHOICE MILD CURED MARYLAND HAMS for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

Greater Reductions Than Ever

This big August reduction sale means a great saving to you on all summer goods, as the prices have been reduced to cost and in many instances below cost. Never before did such good bargains prevail all over the store as at present. Read carefully this list and respond promptly, as many lots are limited and will be sold quickly.

Manhattan Shirts Reduced.

Our annual clearance sale of Manhattan fancy and white negligee shirts begins Wednesday, August 1st. All sizes to choose from in white and fancy, cuffs attached or detached. Come early and have the first pick. $1 50 Manhattan Shirts now $1 25. $2.00 Manhattan Shirts now $1.50. $2.50 Manhattan Shirts now $1.75.

Men's 50c White Lisle Underwear, in in sizes 46, 48 and 50, shirts and drawers, each	25c
One lot Boys' 50c White Negligee Shirts now	29c
Boys' 50c Fancy Jersey Sweaters, each	25c
Small lot Men's $1.00 Fancy Shirts, each	59c
One lot Men's 50c Suspenders	29c
5 dozen 50c Girdle Corsets, pair	35c
Children's 75c White Caps now	59c
Children's $1.00 White Caps now	75c
Children's 25c White Wash Hats each	19c
Children's 50c White Wash Hats each	39c
Ladies' $1 White Hand Bags, each	69c
One fine Fan, slightly damaged, reduced from $3.50 to	98c
One black Silk Underskirt, $4 50 quality, now	$3 25
12½c Fancy Duck and Covert Cloths, yard	7½c
One lot 12½c Fancy Organdy, yard	8c
One lot 12½c Fancy Silk Effects	7½c
One lot 10c and 12½c Fancy Striped White Goods, yard	7½c
All 10c and 12½c Fancy Lawns, yard	5c
All 50c Fancy Wash Silks, yard	25c
Ladies' 75c Muslin Corset Covers, each	49c
All 50c Black Lawn Waists, now	29c
$1.00 White Lawn Short Kimonas, now	65c
20 dozen 35c Fancy Kimonas, now	23c
25 dozen Children's 12½c Knit Underbodies, now	9c
Ladies' 50c Fancy Wash Waists now	35c
Men's 50c Balbriggan Underwear	37½c
One lot Men's 75c Night Robes	50c
Men's 50c Blue and Black Underwear reduced to, each	35c
One lot Men's Good Work Shirts	35c
One lot Men's $1.00 Work Gloves, pair	49c
Men's 15c Celluloid Collars, each	5c
Men's 50c Jersey Sweaters, each	25c
One lot Men's 50c White Shirts, size 15½, each	35c
Men's 50c Crepenette Underwear now	37½c
Several Ladies' $1.00 Black Duck Skirts each	59c
One lot 75c Long Lawn Kimonas, each	49c
Several fine long Crepe Kimonas reduced from $1.98 to	98c
Several pieces 15c Fancy Lawns	10c
One lot Ladies' 15c Brown Shopping Bags, each	9c
One lot 10c and 12½c Dress Gingham, yard	6¼c
$2.50 White Lawn Shirt Waists, short sleeves each	$1.75
75c White Lawn Waists, now	59c
Three Fancy Sateen Underskirts, $1.00 quality, now	69c
Ladies' 50c Black and Fancy Hose, now	35c
5 dozen Ladies' White Lawn Waists, short sleeves, each	49c
Ladies' 25c White Gauze Vests	15c
Ladies' 50c belts reduced to	29c
One each Black, Blue and Green Underskirts, reduced from $2.25 to	$1.39
Ladies' 50c Corset Covers, each	35c
50c Short Lawn Kimonas, each	35c
$1.00 Cambric Corset Covers, each	69c
Ladies' 12½c Ribbed Vests, each	10c
Children's 25c Leather Shoes, pair	15c

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424-426 King St.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY

Diamonds.
Watches. Jewelry.

What we offer you is the best the market affords and you receive value for the amount you expend, be it large or small.

Silver. Cut Glass.
Hand Painted China,

R. C. Acton & Sons

Jewelers and Silversmiths.

LOST.

LOST.—Friday, July 27, a plain SILVER WATCH with gold stemwinder. A reward of $5 will be paid for its return to R. C. ACTON & SONS.

jy28 3t*

WANTED.

WANTED.—My grain threshed and straw and hay baled, AT ONCE.

T. M. VIOLETT,
jy25 1w* Lorton Valley P. O., Va.

FRESH COWS FOR SALE

Will have at my place on the city road on Friday morning, August 3rd, ten young fresh cows, with calves, from Mr. Dan Kelley's farm. Sale commences at 8 o'clock.

jy30 3t WILBERT C. BAGGETT.

FOR SALE.

House 211 Wilkes street, six rooms and well rented. Apply 916 Prince street.

jy28 1w*

Kaufmann Bros.

Manhattan Shirts

At Reduced Prices

Sale begins Wednesday, August 1st, for a limited time A chance to buy the best shirts at prices ordinary ones cost. In plain, white, figured, stripes and dark patterns, attached and detached cuffs.

Clothing at marked down prices. 75c doing $1 duty.

Clothing Department now at 402 King street.

$1 Shirts for 69c. Large variety to select from.

75c Shirts at 49c.

39c Shirts, 25c.

Kaufmann Bros.,

405 King St., Alexandria, Virginia.

GROCERIES.

Ramsay Sells the Best

BEE HIVE FLY CATCHER

A New Device For Catching Flies.

Once Tried Always Used.

PRICE 5 CENTS.

G. Wm. Ramsay.

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RAMSAY'S

50 CENT MIXED.

GREEN GINGER.

1 BARREL,

JUST RECEIVED BY

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Cantrell & Cochrane's Belfast Ginger Ale.

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U. S. Club.

Hires.

Hire's Root Beer.

G. Wm. Ramsay.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

For Rent

227 South Pitt Street,
8-room brick and bath, $30.

427 North Columbus Street,
6-room frame and bath, finely furnished, $30.

1209 Prince Street,
7-room frame, $15.

1303 Queen Street,
7-room frame, $14.

1101 Prince Street,
7-room brick, $15.

801 Wolfe Street,
Brick store and dwelling, $30.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE

Room 3, Alexandria Nat'l Bank Bldg.,

N. E Cor. King and Royal Streets,

Bell 'Phones 224. Capital City 'Phone 124.

SPORTING GOODS.

Bathing Suits at a Reduction

From today out. Come early and get your choice. Some bargains.

Hammocks.

After the 4th of July the season on Hammocks is considered over by the merchant. That being the case I find I have over bought. You can get some cheap ones that have been marked down. Come early.

Croquets and Lawn Tennis, Jerseys, Old Dominion Boat Club Suits and Yachting Caps.

R. E. KNIGHT.

621, 623, 625 KING STREET.

E. L. Daingerfield, President. W. F. Lambert, Cashier.
W. H. Lambert, Vice President. Carroll Pierce, Asst. Cashier.

The Citizens' National Bank
OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.
U. S. DEPOSITORY.
Capital, $100,000. Surplus and Profits, $95,000.

DESIRES TO ANNOUNCE THE OPENING OF ITS

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

Deposits received in this department upon the most advantageous terms. Correspondence and interviews invited.

MEETINGS.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—A special meeting of the stockholders of THE EMERSON STEAM PUMP COMPANY will be held at its principal office in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 11 o'clock a. m., on THURSDAY, the 14th day of June, 1906, to consider the issue of first mortgage bonds and the securing of the payment of the same and the interest to accrue thereon.

By order of the Board of Directors.

R. BRUCE EMERSON, Secretary.

Meeting adjourned until June 28, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until July 12th, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until July 19th, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until July 24, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until August 4, 1906, at same place and hour.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va., July 7, 1906. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon August 10, 1906, for the construction of a Timber Wharf and Warehouse and the dredging of a channel at Fort Hunt, Va. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office. Plans will be furnished upon the deposit of ten dollars to insure the return of them. Envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for Wharf at Fort Hunt, Va.," and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, Fort Hunt, Va.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator of the estate of EDEN HAMMOND, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified to me for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make prompt payment of such indebtedness to me.

W. M. HAMMOND, Administrator.

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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, on the 24th day of July, 1906.

David M. Newbold, jr., Capital City Telephone Company of Alexandria, Virginia, Central Trust Company, of Maryland, trustees; Charles West and E. R. Troxell, In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to subject all the property of the defendant company to the payment of its debts, whereso ver the same may be situated, and particularly to the payment of certain bonds issued by it and the interest thereon and secured by mortgage or trust executed by it to the Central Trust Company of Maryland, trustee, said instrument bearing date on the 31st day of May, 1902, it being intended that this shall be a general creditor's suit, as well as to compel the paymeat of said bonds and interest held by the complainant and any others; also that a receiver may be appointed to take over all of the assets of the defendant company and that it may be wound up, and its funds disposed of amongst its different creditors in accordance with their respective priorities.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants Central Trust Company of Maryland, Trustees, Charles West and E. R. Troxell are non-residents of this State: It is ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthworth inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

Acopy—Teste

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.

By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.

Robinson Moncure and Norton & Boothe, P. Q.

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Alexandria Gazette.
TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 31, 1906.

Lava In the Ocean.

This earth received what was probably its greatest shaking in modern times when the tremendous volcanic eruption of Krakatoa, in Sunda strait, occurred in 1883. A curious incident of that time is recalled by a correspondent who was a passenger on a steamship on the voyage between Colombo and Albany, King George's sound, some 1,500 or 2,000 miles south of the center of the disturbance. It was a beautiful night, and shortly after dinner, when the deck was crowded with passengers, the lookout shouted, "Breakers ahead!" This was in midocean, with no shoal water nearer than the Australian coast, five or six days' sail distant. The steamer was slowed down, and presently drifted into a mass of floating lava and green slime. Bucketfuls were hauled on deck and strained through cloths. Nearly all night the steamer forged ahead at half speed, with the floating scum grating against her sides, and in the morning, when clear water was reached, the sides of the ship below the water line were bare of paint and burnished like steel.

The Red Howling Monkey.

The red howler (Mycetes seniculus) is a rare monkey of the forests of tropical America. It is an extremely delicate animal and is chiefly remarkable for the extraordinary noises it makes. The cries it utters comprise almost any sound from a subdued moan to an angry roar, and it is hardly conceivable that they should proceed from a single animal. This is the animal called red monkey by Waterton in his "Wanderings In South America," where an admirable description of its weird cries may be read. These sounds are produced in a bony cavity formed by an enlargement of the hyoid, or tongue bone. In appearance the red howler is an elegant little creature, well clothed with hair of a reddish brown color. Like the spider monkeys, it is provided with a long, prehensile tail, the under surface of which is naked toward the tip, but it differs from those monkeys in having well developed thumbs.—Westminster Gazette.

One Way to Get a Dog.

"There are ways and ways of getting things," said the old secret service man, "but I wouldn't recommend some of them to a Sunday school class. Now, I knew professionally a reformed confidence man. I won't say how deep the reform went, but officially he was reformed and occupied a pretty respectable position in the community. One day I met this chap on the street, and I had something to say to him. 'See here,' I demanded, 'is this your advertisement in the paper offering a reward of $5 for the return of a lost dog?' 'Sure!' said he. 'But you don't own a dog,' said I. He grinned. 'You mean I didn't own a dog,' he corrected. 'But I do own one now—the handsomest English bulldog you ever laid your eyes on, and he cost just $5.'"

Imagination and Judgment.

Dr. Eaton, president of Madison university years ago, was beloved by the students and his good opinion courted above all things. One commencement day the student who had delivered the valedictory approached the doctor and timidly asked him what he thought of the effort. The doctor looked at him a moment and then said slowly, "Edward, if you would pluck a few of the feathers from the wings of your imagination and stick them in the tail of your judgment, you would make better speeches."

Talleyrand's Thirteen Oaths.

Talleyrand took thirteen oaths of fidelity—to Clement XIII. when he entered holy orders, to Clement XIV. when he became bishop of Autun, to Louis XVI. in 1789, to the kin and the constitution, to the directory in 1795, to the directory in 1796 as minister of foreign affairs, to the three consuls, to Bonaparte sole consul, to Napoleon emperor, to Louis XVIII. in 1814, to Louis XVIII. at the second restoration in 1815, to Charles X. in 1824, to Louis Philippe in 1830.

A Generous Cardinal.

Cardinal Bonaparte was a grandson of Lucien Bonaparte. He was a very charitable man. During one of his illnesses a servant came to him and said that a poor person at the door begged for alms. "Give him what money you will find in my purse," said the cardinal. "There is no money, eminence. The silver spoons are all given away. We have nothing left but pewter spoons." "Well, bring him in and give him a good meal."

Disappointed in the Boy.

"I don't know what kind of figure that boy'll cut in life," said the old man, with a sigh. "He's gone an' shattered all my hopes!"

"Why, what's he been a-doin' of?"

"He's been a-doin' of nothin'," was the reply, "'cept writin' poetry on barn doors when I had set my stakes to make a carpenter or a congressman out o' him!"—Atlanta Constitution.

His Character.

A cook has been going round a station in the south of India with the following "character" and is somewhat surprised he is not engaged: "Abdul has been my cook for three months. It seems much longer. He leaves on account of ill health—my ill health."

A Coincidence.

"I suppose you enjoy hearing your boy talk since he went to college."

"Yes," answered Farmer Corntossel, "but ain't it kind of a coincidence that so many of them classical quotations begin with "'Rah, 'rah, 'rah?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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OFFICIAL.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the granting by the City Council of Alexandria to the person or corporation hereafter to be ascertained in the manner prescribed by law, of the right or franchise to lay and maintain a single track railway on Cameron street from the east side of Payne street west to the corporate limit, with suitable curves, switches and connections to connect with the tracks now laid and operated by the Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway Company on both Cameron and Payne streets; also to lay and maintain a single track or curve with suitable switches and connections from the tracks of said company located at the west end of King street so as to connect the track of said company at the west end of King street at or near the corporation line with the track of the said company to be laid over its property situated on the north side of King street, and to connect with the proposed track to be laid from the east side of Payne street west to the corporate limit, and to erect, construct and maintain the necessary poles, fixtures and wires on, over, under and along the said streets, and to run and operate over and upon the tracks to be so laid cars operated and propelled by electricity or other motive power than steam, which are embodied in the following draft of an ordinance:

"An ordinance to grant to ——— ——— its successors and assigns the right or franchise to lay and maintain a single track railway on Cameron street from the east side of Payne street west to the corporate limit, with suitable curves, switches and connections to connect with the tracks now laid and operated by the Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway Company on both Cameron and Payne streets; also to lay and maintain a single track or curve with suitable switches and connections from the tracks of said company located at the west end of King street so as to connect the tracks of said company at the west end of King street at or near the corporation line with the track of the said company to be laid over its property situated on the north side of King street, and to connect with the proposed track to be laid from the east side of Payne street west on Cameron street to the corporate limit, and to erect, construct and maintain the necessary poles, fixtures and wires on, over, under and along the said streets, and to run and operate over and upon the tracks to be so laid cars operated and propelled by electricity or other motive power than steam.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, Virginia:

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